

DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING
MUSIC, ART AND DANCE THERAPIST ADVISORY COMMITTEE
APRIL 6, 1999

MEMBERS PRESENT: Secretary Marlene Cummings, Laurie Farnan, Lynn Kapitan,
Dawn Lindloff-Shegonee, Janet Lew Carr, Nancy Dexter
Schabow

MEMBERS ABSENT: Naomi Berkowitz, Deborah Thomas, Grace Valentine

LEGAL COUNSEL: Ruby Jefferson-Moore

STAFF PRESENT: Myra Shelton, Kimberly Nania, Karen Rude-Evans

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 10:07 a.m. by Kimberly Nania.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved by unanimous decision.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF DECEMBER 8, 1998

Corrections: On page 4, under Discussion of Master's Level Before Registration, the first sentence delete "until" and replace it with "for a period of time after".

On page 1, under Members Present, delete Janet Lew Carr

MOTION: Laurie Farnan moved, seconded by Lynn Kapitan, to approve the minutes as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

SECRETARY CUMMINGS

Secretary Cummings told the committee that the department needs the assistance of the committee members for revisions of the rules. Both public and professional members from each profession will be asked to volunteer as case advisors.

REVISED MEETING DATES FOR 1999

This was presented for information only. Laurie Farnan and Janet Lew Carr will not be able to attend the June 8, 1999 meeting.

REVIEW OF CLEARINGHOUSE REPORT TO AGENCY ON PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

The emergency rules expire the end of April. The new rules become effective May 1, 1999. The committee discussed item 5f(7) on page 4 of the report regarding the word “contraindications.” National Standards for each profession are to be followed.

CHAPTER RL 8: ADMINISTRATIVE WARNINGS

This item was presented for information only. This became effective February 1, 1999.

DISCUSSION OF ROLE OF DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT

Mike Berndt and Stu Engerman introduced themselves to the committee. As complaints come in, committee members will be on a screening panel and case advisors will be assigned. The committee will prioritize cases by the greatest potential for most harm to the public, the degree of harm or if the treatment complaint is of no benefit to the patient. It was recommended that the committee should discuss what types of complaints are anticipated, what complaints the committee sees as most important to investigate and handle and what actions should be taken.

DISCUSSION AND DEVELOPMENT OF BROCHURES FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION

Committee members will rough draft or send copies of brochures from their national associations to assist the department in the development of brochures for the public.

CORRESPONDENCE

A copy of a memo sent to the national associations was presented for information only.

OTHER COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Janet Lew Carr will request a list of active art therapists in Wisconsin from the national association in order for applications to be sent to these individuals. Applicants must have a current registration with the national association to apply for Wisconsin registration.

Myra Shelton discussed the legislative process with the committee.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Nancy Dexter-Schabow moved, seconded by Laurie Farnan, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 1:46 p.m.